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In re Application of

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AMENDMENT A

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Sir:

Responsive to the "Response to Amendment" mailed March 1, 2004, setting a one-month period for response, extended to June 1, 2004 by the Petition for Two-Month Extension of Time, and fee, submitted herewith, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments and remarks, and requests reconsideration.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins at page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin at page 8 of this paper and include four amended drawing figures attached to this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin at page 9 of this paper.